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IMPROVED THERMAL STABILITY AND

IMPROVED FIRE RESISTANCE

RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated April 15, 2008, the applicant respectfully requests reconsideration in view of the following remarks.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.